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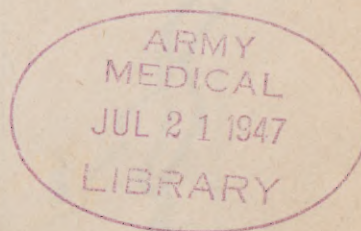
SHORE STATIONS IN CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES



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WEEK ENDING 24 August 1946

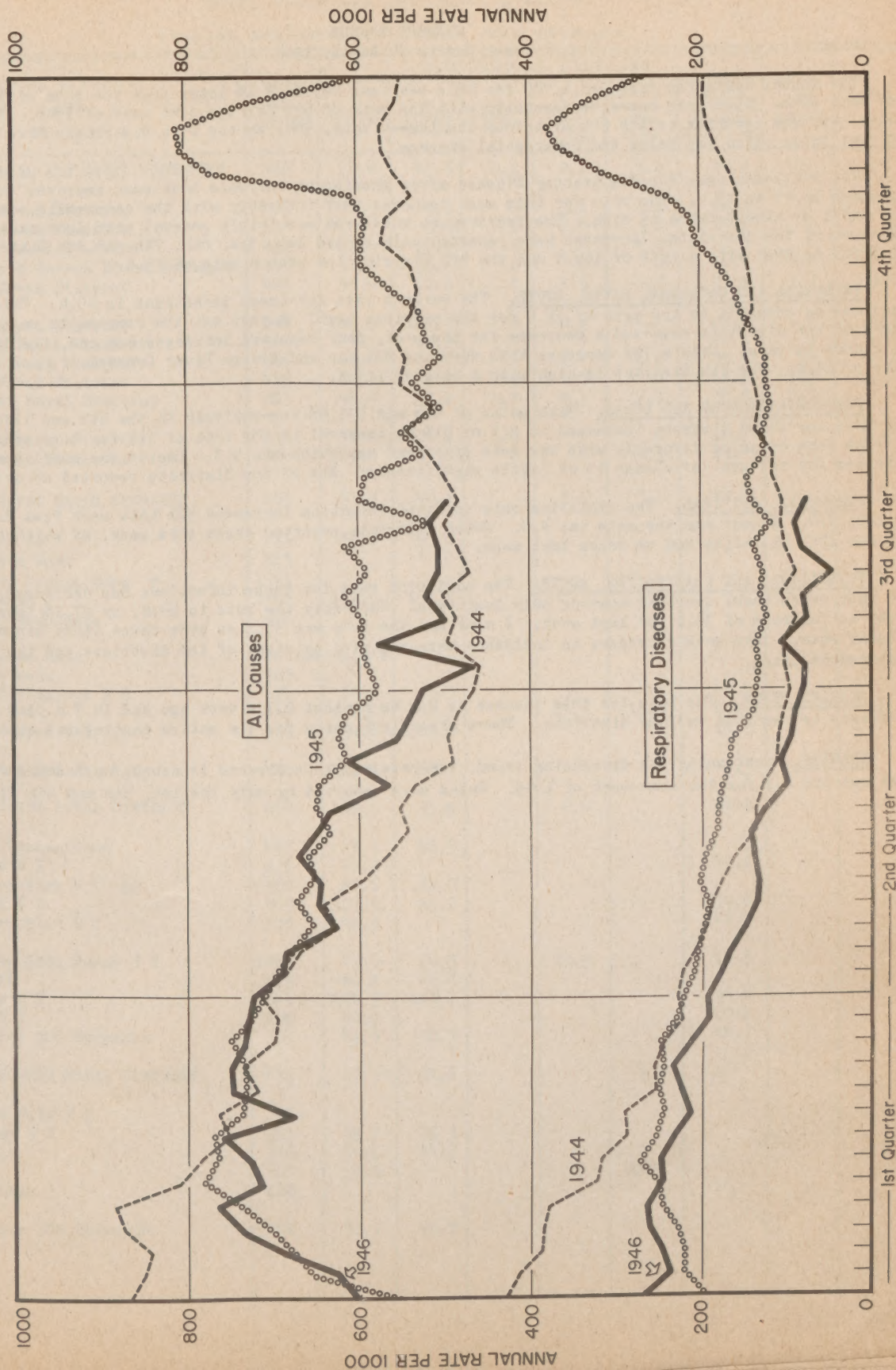
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ADMISSION RATES—ALL CAUSES AND RESPIRATORY DISEASES

CONTINENTAL LIMITS OF THE UNITED STATES—1944, 1945, 1946



CURRENT TRENDS

Week Ending 24 August 1946

The annual admission rate per 1,000 for this week was 495 or 3.1% lower than the rate of 511 reported for last week. This rate compares favorably with the rate of 599 for the same week of 1945. The highest rate, 646, was reported by the 6th District; the lowest rate, 304, by the 13th District. Five districts have current rates which are below the continental average.

The admission rate for Respiratory Disease after showing an increase last week improved this week by dropping 15.4% to 75.4. The rate for this week compares very favorably with the comparable rate in 1945 which was 140.1 or almost twice as high. The improvement this week was fairly general with decreases being reported by seven of the districts. Increases were reported only by the 1st, 3rd, 6th, 7th and 8th Districts. The 6th District is high with a rate of 166.8 and the 4th District low with a rate of 29.5.

INFLUENZA AND CATARRHAL FEVER, ACUTE. The current rate for these infections is 45.6. This is a 12.1% decrease as compared to the rate of 51.9 for the previous week. A year ago the comparable rate was 94.9. Seven of the districts reported a decrease for the week, four reported increases and one, the 11th, reported no change in rate. With a 70% decrease this week the Potomac and Severn River Commands is now low with a rate of 13.8. The 6th District is high with a rate of 117.8.

PNEUMONIA-BRONCHO AND LOBAR. With gains of 46% and 571.4% respectively in the 5th and 11th Districts the rate for these diseases increased to 2.1 or 91% as compared to the rate of 1.1 for last week. The current rate compares favorably with the rate of a year ago which was 5.3. Due to the small number of cases involved the per cent of change is of little significance. Six of the districts reported no cases.

PNEUMONIA, ATYPICAL. The admission rate for this infection increased 50% this week from 2.0 for last week to 3.0. A year ago the rate was 4.4. Seven districts reported cases this week, of which the 1st, 6th, 8th and 13th Districts had no cases last week.

TONSILLITIS AND PHARYNGITIS, ACUTE. The admission rate for these infections has decreased for six of the past seven weeks spurring upwards only last week. Currently the rate is 24.8, or 27.3% lower, as compared to the rate of 34.1 for last week. A year ago the rate was 80.5 or over three times higher than the present rate. This week decreases in incidence were reported by eight of the districts and the 4th District reported no cases.

SCARLET FEVER. The rate for this disease is 0.9 as against 0.7 a week ago and 14.3 a year ago. Incidence is reported by four districts. There are only 6 cases for the entire continental area.

MEASLES. Continuing its decreasing trend, the rate for this disease is now 0.7 as compared to 1.0 a week ago and 9.1 for the same week of 1945. Cases were reported by only the 1st, 5th and 9th Districts.

NAVAL DISTRICTS AND SHORE STATIONS

(Annual Admission Rates Per 1000 Strength)

NAVAL DISTRICT AND STATION	TOTAL ALL CAUSES	RESPIRATORY DISEASES						SCAR- LET FEVER	MEASLES
		TOTAL	CAT. FEVER ACUTE	INFLU- ENZA	PNEUMONIA		TONSIL- LITIS & PHARYN- GITIS AC.		
					BRON. AND LOBAR	ATYP- ICAL			
TOTAL ALL NAVAL DISTRICTS	495	75.4	45.5	0.1	2.1	3.0	24.8	0.9	0.7
First Naval District	603	83.9	49.7	0	3.1	3.1	28.0	0	3.1
Third Naval District	614	66.6	35.8	0	2.6	0	28.2	0	0
Fourth Naval District	432	29.5	24.6	0	0	4.9	0	0	0
Potomac & Severn River Commands	325	30.3	13.8	0	0	0	16.5	2.8	0
Fifth Naval District	440	95.6	62.6	0	3.5	1.7	27.8	1.7	2.6
Sixth Naval District	646	166.8	117.3	0	2.6	26.1	20.8	0	0
Seventh Naval District	520	63.7	38.2	0	0	0	25.5	0	0
Eighth Naval District	516	66.2	25.1	0	1.8	3.6	35.8	0	0
Ninth Naval District	435	68.0	49.3	0	0	0	18.7	1.7	1.7
Eleventh Naval District	583	96.9	58.6	0.8	4.7	2.3	30.5	0.8	0
Twelfth Naval District	531	31.4	14.6	0	0	0	16.7	0	0
Thirteenth Naval District	304	49.6	19.8	0	0	3.3	26.4	0	0
TOTAL FIRST NAVAL DISTRICT	603	83.9	49.7		3.1	3.1	28.0		3.1
NAS Brunswick Me	239	59.8	59.8						
DistHdq Boston Mass	183								
USNPersSepCen Boston Mass #	1591								
NRS Boston Mass	1102	157.5	157.5						
NavShipyds Boston Mass	926								
NavHosp Chelsea Mass	(No Admissions)								
NAS Squantum Mass	365								
NavDiscBks Portsmouth N H	676	70.0	23.3				46.6		
NTS Newport R I	468	121.4	17.3		17.3	17.3	69.4		17.3
NAS Quonset Point R I	520	107.6	89.6				17.9		
Stations Under 500 Strength	436	114.8	68.9				45.9		
TOTAL THIRD NAVAL DISTRICT	614	66.6	35.8		2.6		28.2		
SubBase New London Conn	465	68.9	68.9						
NAS Brooklyn N Y	271	45.2					45.2		
ArmGrdCen Brooklyn N Y ##	560	80.0	80.0						
NRS Brooklyn N Y	849	123.9	53.1				70.8		
NavShipyd Brook-lyn N Y	170	48.5					48.5		
USNPersSepCen Lido Beach N Y	1463	43.5	14.5		14.5		14.5		
DistHdqs NYK	225	40.8	40.8						
NH St Albans N Y	341	170.5	113.7				56.8		
NH Sampson N Y	608	60.8					60.8		
Stations Under 500 Strength	353	41.5	20.7				20.7		
TOTAL FOURTH NAVAL DISTRICT	432	29.5	24.6			4.9			
NAS Atlantic City N J	61								
NAS Lakehurst N J	541	38.7	38.7						
NavHosp Phila	346	34.6	34.6						
NRS Phila	665	19.6				19.6			
NavShipyd Phila	122								
Stations Under 500 Strength	712	92.9	92.9						

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		TOTAL	CAT. FEVER ACUTE	INFLU- ENZA	PNEUMONIA				TONSIL- LITIS & PHARYN- GITIS AC.
					BRON. AND LOBAR	ATYP- ICAL			
TOTAL POTOMAC RIVER COMMAND	301	24.7	9.9				14.8	1.6	
NAS Anacostia D C	323								
NavResLab Anacostia D C	412								
MarBks Washington D C	104								
NavDispNavDept Wash D C	109								
NavGunFac Washington D C	143								
NRS Washington D C	634	81.3	48.8				32.5	16.3	
NH Bethesda Md	728	72.8					72.8		
NAS Patuxent River Md	398	29.5	14.7				14.7		
MarBks Quantico Va	364	50.8	8.5				42.3		
Stations Under 500 Strength	507	25.3	25.3						
TOTAL SEVERN RIVER COMMAND	448	59.2	33.8				25.4	8.5	
USNA Annapolis Md	443	52.1	26.1				26.1	8.7	
Stations Under 500 Strength	615	307.7	307.7						
TOTAL FIFTH NAVAL DISTRICT	440	95.6	62.6			3.5	1.7	27.8	2.6
NH Bainbridge Md	306								
USNPersSepCen Bainbridge Md	1661								
NTC Bainbridge Md	426	167.8	108.2		4.4	2.2	53.0	4.4	4.4
USMCAB Cherry Point N C	659	160.2	106.8				53.4		
Camp Lejeune New River N C	321	12.1	6.1				6.1		
PhibTraBase Little Creek Va	464								
NAB Nor	456	35.1	28.1				7.0		7.0
NRS Nor	480	27.4	27.4						
NavRe-TrainCom Nor	230	19.2	19.2						
NHCSch Portsmouth Va	897	523.0	373.6		74.7		74.7		
NorShipyd Portsmouth Va	239	79.6	79.6						
USNPersSepCen Shelton Va	229	45.8	45.8						
USNA&DU Williamsburg Va	271	54.3					54.3		
Stations Under 500 Strength	442	59.7	23.9		11.9	11.9	11.9		
TOTAL SIXTH NAVAL DISTRICT	646	166.8	117.3			2.6	26.1	20.8	
NAS St Simons Island Ga	598	298.9	179.3			59.8		59.8	
NRS Charleston S C	966	38.6	38.6						
NavShipyd Charleston S C	409								
MarBks Parris Island S C	629	176.7	132.5				34.0	10.2	
Stations Under 500 Strength	663	173.0	57.7					115.4	
TOTAL SEVENTH NAVAL DISTRICT	520	63.7	38.2					25.5	
NAS Banana River Fla	262	65.4						65.4	
NAAS Cecil Field Fla	399								
NAS Ft Lauderdale Fla	474	79.0	39.5					39.5	
NavSta Green Cove Springs Fla	2496	332.8						332.8	
NAS Jacksonville Fla	206	20.6	20.6						
NATTC Jacksonville Fla	423	122.4	111.3					11.1	
USNPersSepCen Jacksonville Fla	1160	61.0						61.0	
SubBase Key West Fla	184								
NAS Miami Fla	957	57.4	38.3					19.1	
Stations Under 500 Strength	745								

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					BRON. AND LOBAR	ATYP- ICAL			
TOTAL EIGHTH NAVAL DISTRICT	516	66.2	25.1		1.8	3.6	35.8		
NATB Pensacola Fla	368	71.9	40.0				32.0		
DistHdg New Orleans La #	252								
NavRepBase New Orleans La	1101	183.5	61.2				122.4		
NAS Memphis Tenn	325	65.1					65.1		
NATTC Memphis Tenn	417	88.5	37.9		12.6	12.6	25.3		
USNPerSepCen Memphis Tenn	1290								
USNPerSepCen Cp Wallace Tex	984								
NATTC Corpus Christi Tex	316	31.6					31.6		
NATB Corpus Christi Tex	450	54.3	7.8			7.8	38.8		
NAS Dallas Tex	447	223.5	149.0				74.5		
Stations Under 500 Strength	659	35.3	11.8				23.5		
TOTAL NINTH NAVAL DISTRICT	435	68.0	49.3				18.7	1.7	1.7
NAS Glenview Ill	243								
USMCPersSepCen Great Lakes Ill	1720	62.5	31.3				31.3		
NH Great Lakes Ill	278	46.3	46.3						
USNPerSepCen Great Lakes Ill	300	27.3					27.3		
NTC Great Lakes Ill	93	82.8	66.3				16.6	3.3	3.3
PreFltSch NAS Ottumwa Iowa	993	76.4	76.4						
NAS Hutchinson Kans	758	50.5	50.5						
NAS Minneapolis Minn	237	79.0					79.0		
NAS St Louis Mo #	903								
BuSandA Cleveland Ohio	380	126.5	126.5						
Stations Under 500 Strength	1334	78.5	47.1				31.4		
TOTAL ELEVENTH NAVAL DISTRICT	583	96.9	58.6	0.8	4.7	2.3	30.5	0.8	
USMCDepSup Barstow Cal	85								
NH Corona Cal	402	133.8	66.9				66.9		
PhibTraBase Coronado Cal	700	72.4	48.3				24.1		
USMCAS El Toro Cal	487	190.6	21.2				169.5		
NOTS Inyokern Cal	395	65.9		65.9					
NH Long Beach Cal	733	73.3					73.3		
USMCAS Miramar Cal	435	36.3	18.1				18.1		
MT&RC Oceanside Cal	621	160.7	117.8				42.9		
MT&DC Port Hueneme Cal	1249	110.2	73.5				36.7		
DistDisp San Diego Cal	395	56.4					56.4		
USMCB San Diego Cal	938	113.2	80.9			16.2	16.2		
NAS San Diego Cal	474	48.7	12.2				36.5		
NFSSch San Diego Cal	136								
NH San Diego Cal	442								
NavHCSch San Diego Cal	366	91.4	91.4						
NRE San Diego Cal	442	64.5	49.6				14.9		
NTC San Diego Cal	560	182.4	115.6		26.7		40.0	4.4	
NAAS San Ysidro Cal	200								
NavDiscioBks Terminal Cal	605								
NavPerSepCen Terminal Is Cal	464								

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11th ND--Cont'd.									
NRS Terminal Is Cal	496	66.1					66.1		
Roosevelt Base Terminal Is Cal	388	32.3	32.3						
Stations Under 500 Strength	626	65.9	49.4				16.5		
TOTAL TWELFTH NAVAL DISTRICT	531	31.4	14.6				16.7		
NAB Alameda Cal	520	27.8	18.6				9.3		
NavShipyd Mare Is Cal	815	48.0					48.0		
NH Oakland Cal	607	46.7					46.7		
NSD Oakland Cal	716								
DistHqrs San Fran	527	31.0	31.0						
NavShipYd San Fran Cal	329								
NT&DC Shoemaker Cal	881	195.9	97.9				97.9		
NavSupAnnex Stockton Cal	798	79.8					79.8		
NavSta Treasure Island Cal	506	15.7	15.7						
Stations Under 500 Strength	389	53.0					53.0		
TOTAL THIRTEENTH NAVAL DISTRICT	304	49.6	19.8			3.3	26.4		
NavSta Astoria Oreg	315	125.9					125.9		
NavBerthFrc Portlnd Oreg	677	71.2					71.2		
NavShipyd Bremerton Wash	69								
NAS Seattle Wash #	450	149.9	120.0				30.0		
NavSta Seattle Wash	535	66.8					66.8		
NAS Whidbey Island Wash	299								
Stations Under 500 Strength	405	81.0	40.5			20.2	20.2		

INCIDENCE OF RARE COMMUNICABLE DISEASES OF SPECIAL INTEREST

TOTAL JAUNDICE, ACUTE, INFECTIVE	13
NRS Boston Mass	1
USNPersSepCen Lido Beach N Y	3
NTC Bainbridge Md	4
NavMinWSch Yorktown Va	1
NAS Memphis Tenn	1
NTC Great Lakes Ill	1
NTC San Diego Cal	1
NRS Terminal Island Cal	1

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